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Applicant :	Theodore T. Pekny		
Filed :	January 16, 2002	Attorney Docket No.:	501110.01
Art Unit :	2824	Customer No.	: 27,076
Examiner :	Andrew Q. Tran		
Title :	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR REDUCING LEAKAGE CURRENT IN A ROW DRIVER CIRCUIT IN A FLASH MEMORY DURING A STANDBY MODE OF OPERATION		

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 10, 2005, applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-22, for examination at this time.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.